

"This House recommends that Biographies of all the Martyrs who have been awarded Nishan-e-Haider so far may be included in the curriculum of all the educational institutions in the country."

Moved by Senator Khushbakht Shujat



"This House recommends that Federal Government should take necessary measures to make all public buildings, hospitals, recreational and educational facilities accessible for persons with disabilities (PWDs) with accordance to article 9 of United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities which (CRPD). Pakistan has ratified in 2011."

Moved by Senator Seemee Ezdi



"Whereas it is a fact that Multan-Sukkur Motorway no interchange has been provided in Tehsil Sadiqabad to connect 1.1 million population of the Tehsil thereby forcing them to use the distant Guddu Interchange in Sindh Province or travel 60 kms back to Iqbalabad Interchange in District Rahim Yar Khan;

Recognizing that District Rahim Yar Khan has been provided connectivity to this Motorway through three interchanges at different places, depriving the entire Tehsil of Sadiqabad of the connectivity to Motorway by non-provision of an interchange is a clear discrimination and denial of social and economic rights to the people of Sadiqabad;

Realizing that Pakistan's largest gas processing and supply project i.e. Pak-Qatar LNG project has been established in Village Bhong, Tehsil Sadiqabad, and the famous Bhong Mosque, famous tourist site is also located there, non-provision of connectivity to the motorway will adversely affect the economic viability and potential benefits of the said project and the tourist spot in that Tehsil;

Therefore, in view of the social and economic importance of the area, this house recommends that the Government should take immediate steps for the construction of an Interchange at village Bhong, Tehsil Sadiqabad, District Rahim Yar Khan at the Multan-Sukkur Motorway."

Moved by Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi



"The Senate of Pakistan expresses its deepest dismay and shock on the vicious and contemptuous act of burning and desecrating the Holy Quran in Norway by the member of SIAN, a right wing Islamophobic Norwegian group has shocked the Muslims around the world.

The Senate of Pakistan strongly condemns this act for being hateful, vicious, and contrary to the principles of International law laid down in several instruments including the UN General Assembly Resolution No 36/55 of 25 November 1981, Article 18 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, Article 18 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the European Court of Human Rights & European Guidelines on Freedom of Religion or Belief, the General Assembly Resolution 56/6 of 9 November 2001 on the Global Agenda for Dialogue among Civilizations and the Resolution of UN Commission on Human Rights 2005/40.

The House considers that this viciously irresponsible act of the members of the infamous SIAN is calculated to harm interfaith harmony, communal peace, religious tolerance and ultimately global peace and tranquility.

The Senate of Pakistan resolves to stand for upholding the globally recognized principles highlighted above and expresses the collective will of state and people of Pakistan against the vicious act of desecration of the Holy Quran by the members of SIAN and other Islamophobes.

Therefore, the Senate of Pakistan:

1. **Urges the Muslims** to stay calm and composed, refuse to be intimidated by the hate-mongering Islamophobes, and spread Islam's message of peace, tolerance and universal brotherhood;

2. Calls upon the Government of Pakistan:

- i) To summon the Ambassador of Norway and convey the sense of shock and anguish felt by the people of Pakistan against the act of SIAN;
- **ii**) To impress upon the Norwegian authorities for taking lawful action against those who desecrated the Holy Quran in Oslo on 19th November, 2019;
- iii) To direct its diplomatic staff in Norway to provide appropriate legal and moral assistance to the Muslims who have been arrested in the incident; and
- iv) To use all political and diplomatic channels to ensure that such incidents are not repeated in the UN members states."

Moved by Senator Mushtaq Ahmed on his own behalf and on the behalf of Senators Mian Muhammad Ateeq Shaikh, Kamran Michael, Sirajul Haq, Maulana Abdul Ghafoor Haideri and Molvi Faiz Muhammad



" This House pays tribute to the legendary and popular poet Late Ahmed Faraz on the eve of his birthday

The House consider that Mr. Ahmad Faraz was a great poet of the country who rendered invaluable literary contributions for the country. He gave message of love, harmony and peace through his poetry.

The Legendary poet will always be remembered with love and respect."

Moved by Senator Mirza Muhammad Afridi